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I

(Acts whose publication is obligatory)

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 279/86**of 7 February 1986****fixing the import levies on cereals and on wheat or rye flour, groats and meal**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in cereals ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3793/85 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 13 (5) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1676/85 of 11 June 1985 on the value of the unit of account and the exchange rates to be applied for the purposes of the common agricultural policy ⁽³⁾, and in particular Article 3 thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas the import levies on cereals, wheat and rye flour, and wheat groats and meal were fixed by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2956/85 ⁽⁴⁾ and subsequent amending Regulations;

Whereas, if the levy system is to operate normally, levies should be calculated on the following basis:

- in the case of currencies which are maintained in relation to each other at any given moment within a band of 2,25 %, a rate of exchange based on their central rate, multiplied by the corrective factor provided for in

the last paragraph of Article 3 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1676/85,

- for other currencies, an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies recorded for a given period in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the previous indent, and the aforesaid coefficient;

Whereas these exchange rates being those recorded on 6 February 1986;

Whereas it follows from applying the detailed rules contained in Regulation (EEC) No 2956/85 to today's offer prices and quotations known to the Commission that the levies at present in force should be altered to the amounts set out in the Annex hereto,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The import levies to be charged on products listed in Article 1 (a), (b) and (c) of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 shall be as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 8 February 1986.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 7 February 1986.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 367, 31. 12. 1985, p. 19.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 164, 24. 6. 1985, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 285, 25. 10. 1985, p. 8.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 7 February 1986 fixing the import levies on cereals and on wheat or rye flour, groats and meal

(ECU/tonne)		
CCT heading No	Description	Levies
10.01 B I	Common wheat, and meslin	155,71
10.01 B II	Durum wheat	204,06 ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾
10.02	Rye	132,37 ⁽⁴⁾
10.03	Barley	143,96
10.04	Oats	127,43
10.05 B	Maize, other than hybrid maize for sowing	121,49 ⁽³⁾ ⁽⁵⁾
10.07 A	Buckwheat	0
10.07 B	Millet	76,92 ⁽⁴⁾
10.07 C	Grain sorghum	131,05 ⁽⁴⁾
10.07 D I	Triticale	(7)
10.07 D II	Canary seed ; other cereals	0 ⁽⁷⁾
11.01 A	Wheat or meslin flour	232,69
11.01 B	Rye flour	200,01
11.02 A I a)	Durum wheat groats and meal	329,88
11.02 A I b)	Common wheat groats and meal	249,44

⁽¹⁾ Where durum wheat originating in Morocco is transported directly from that country to the Community, the levy is reduced by 0,60 ECU/tonne.

⁽²⁾ In accordance with Regulation (EEC) No 486/85 the levies are not applied to imports into the French overseas departments of products originating in the African, Caribbean and Pacific States or in the 'overseas countries and territories'.

⁽³⁾ Where maize originating in the ACP or OCT is imported into the Community the levy is reduced by 1,81 ECU/tonne.

⁽⁴⁾ Where millet and sorghum originating in the ACP or OCT is imported into the Community the levy is reduced by 50 %.

⁽⁵⁾ Where durum wheat and canary seed produced in Turkey are transported directly from that country to the Community, the levy is reduced by 0,60 ECU/tonne.

⁽⁶⁾ The import levy charged on rye produced in Turkey and transported directly from that country to the Community is laid down in Council Regulation (EEC) No 1180/77 and Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2622/71.

⁽⁷⁾ The levy applicable to rye shall be charged on imports of the product falling within subheading 10.07 D I (triticale).

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 280/86**of 7 February 1986****fixing the premiums to be added to the import levies on cereals, flour and malt**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in cereals ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3793/85 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 15 (6) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1676/85 of 11 June 1985 on the value of the unit of account and the exchange rates to be applied for the purposes of the common agricultural policy ⁽³⁾, and in particular Article 3 thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas the premiums to be added to the levies on cereals and malt were fixed by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2160/85 ⁽⁴⁾ and subsequent amending Regulations;

Whereas, if the levy system is to operate normally, levies should be calculated on the following basis:

- in the case of currencies which are maintained in relation to each other at any given moment within a band of 2,25 %, a rate of exchange based on their central rate, multiplied by the corrective factor provided for in the last paragraph of Article 3 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1676/85,

— for other currencies, an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies recorded for a given period in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the previous indent, and the aforesaid coefficient;

Whereas these exchange rates being those recorded on 6 February 1986;

Whereas, on the basis of today's cif prices and cif forward delivery prices, the premiums at present in force, which are to be added to the levies, should be altered to the amounts set out in the Annex hereto,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The premiums referred to in Article 15 of Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 to be added to the import levies fixed in advance in respect of cereals and malt shall be as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 8 February 1986.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 7 February 1986.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 367, 31. 12. 1985, p. 19.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 164, 24. 6. 1985, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 203, 1. 8. 1985, p. 11.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 7 February 1986 fixing the premiums to be added to the import levies on cereals, flour and malt

A. Cereals and flour

CCT heading No	Description	(ECU/tonne)			
		Current 2	1st period 3	2nd period 4	3rd period 5
10.01 B I	Common wheat, and meslin	0	0	0	0
10.01 B II	Durum wheat	0	0	0	3,37
10.02	Rye	0	0	0	0
10.03	Barley	0	0	0	0
10.04	Oats	0	0	0	0
10.05 B	Maize, other than hybrid maize for sowing	0	1,53	1,53	11,75
10.07 A	Buckwheat	0	0	0	0
10.07 B	Millet	0	0	0	0
10.07 C	Grain sorghum	0	0	0	7,47
10.07 D	Other cereals	0	0	0	0
11.01 A	Wheat or meslin flour	0	0	0	0

B. Malt

CCT heading No	Description	(ECU/tonne)				
		Current 2	1st period 3	2nd period 4	3rd period 5	4th period 6
11.07 A I (a)	Unroasted malt, obtained from wheat, in the form of flour	0	0	0	0	0
11.07 A I (b)	Unroasted malt, obtained from wheat, other than in the form of flour	0	0	0	0	0
11.07 A II (a)	Unroasted malt, other than that obtained from wheat, in the form of flour	0	0	0	0	0
11.07 A II (b)	Unroasted malt, other than that obtained from wheat, other than in the form of flour	0	0	0	0	0
11.07 B	Roasted malt	0	0	0	0	0

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 281/86
of 5 February 1986
on the supply of common wheat to the World Food Programme (WFP) as food aid

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,
Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3331/82 of 3 December 1982 on food-aid policy and food-aid management and amending Regulation (EEC) No 2750/75⁽¹⁾, and in particular the first subparagraph of Article 3 (1) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in cereals⁽²⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3768/85⁽³⁾, and in particular Article 28 thereof,

Whereas, by its Decision of 6 May 1985 on the supply of food aid to the WFP, the Commission allocated to the latter organization 17 945 tonnes of cereals to be supplied fob;

Whereas it is necessary to provide for the carrying out of this measure in accordance with the rules laid down by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1974/80 of 22 July 1980 laying down general implementing rules in respect of certain food-aid operations involving cereals and rice⁽⁴⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No

3323/81⁽⁵⁾; whereas it is necessary to specify the time limits and conditions of supply and the procedure to be followed to determine the resultant costs;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Cereals,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The intervention agencies specified in the Annexes hereto shall implement the mobilization and supply procedures in accordance with the provisions of Regulation (EEC) No 1974/80 and with the conditions laid down in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day following its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 5 February 1986.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 352, 14. 12. 1982, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 362, 31. 12. 1985, p. 8.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 192, 26. 7. 1980, p. 11.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 334, 21. 11. 1981, p. 27.

ANNEX Ia

1. **Programme :** 1985
2. **Recipient :** World Food Programme (WFP)
3. **Place or country of destination :** Jordan (Aqaba)
4. **Product to be mobilized :** common wheat
5. **Total quantity :** 2 945 tonnes
6. **Number of lots :** one
7. **Intervention agency responsible for conducting the procedure :**
OBEA, rue de Trèves 82, B-1040 Bruxelles (télex : 24076).
8. **Method of mobilizing the product :** Intervention
9. **Characteristics of the goods :**
Common wheat of sound and fair merchantable quality, free from odour and pests, which :
 - has the minimum physical qualities required for common wheat of bread-making quality pursuant to Article 5 (2) of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1629/77 (Official Journal No L 181 of 21 July 1977), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2215/84 (Official Journal No L 203 of 31 July 1984), the moisture content not exceeding 14,5 %
 - meets the technological requirements set out in Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2062/81 (Official Journal No L 201 of 22 July 1981)
10. **Packaging :** in bulk
11. **Port of shipment :**
any Community port accessible to ocean-going vessels with a shipping service to the recipient country during the period for shipment laid down in point 16. The tender must be accompanied by a statement from the port authorities attesting the existence of the service during the said period.
12. **Delivery stage :** fob
13. **Port of landing :** —
14. **Procedure to be applied in order to determine supply costs :** tendering
15. **Deadline for the submission of tenders :** 12 noon on 18 February 1986
16. **Shipment period :** 1 to 31 March 1986
17. **Security :** 6 ECU per tonne

Note

1. The successful tenderer shall contact the recipient in order to ascertain which shipping documents are required.
 2. The successful tenderer shall supply to the beneficiary or its representative, on delivery, the following documents :
 - certificate of origin
 - phytosanitary certificate
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*BILAG Ib — ANHANG Ib — ΠΑΡΑΡΤΗΜΑ Ib — ANNEX Ib — ANEXO Ib — ANNEXE Ib — ALLEGATO Ib —
BIJLAGE Ib — ANEXO Ib*

Partiets nummer Nummer der Partie Αριθμός παρτίδων Number of lot Número de la partida Numéro du lot Numero della partita Nummer van de partij Número do lote	Mængde (t) Menge (t) Τόνοι Tonnage Tonelaje Tonnage Tonnellaggio Hoeveelheid (t) Tonelagem	Lagerindehaverens navn og adresse Name und Adresse des Lagerhalters Όνομα και διεύθυνση εναποθηκευτού Address of store Nombre y dirección del almacenista Nom et adresse du stockeur Nome e indirizzo del detentore Naam en adres van de depothouder Nome e direcção do armazenista	Lagerplads Ort der Lagerhaltung Τόπος αποθηκεύσεως Town at which stored Lugar de almacenamiento Lieu de stockage Luogo di accantonamento Adres van de opslagplaats Local de armazenagem
1	1 000	Éts Brichart Île Monsin B-4000 Liège	B-4000 Liège
	1 000	Interagri Silos de et à B-5750 Floreffe	B-5750 Floreffe
	945	Silo de la Meuse Île Monsin B-4000 Liège	B-4000 Liège

ANNEX IIa

1. **Programme :** 1985
2. **Recipient :** World Food Programme (WFP)
3. **Place or country of destination :** People's Republic of China
4. **Product to be mobilized :** common wheat
5. **Total quantity :** 15 000 tonnes
6. **Number of lots :** one
7. **Intervention agency responsible for conducting the procedure :**
Office national interprofessionnel des céréales (ONIC), 21, avenue Bosquet, F-75007 Paris (telex OFIBLE 200 490 F).
8. **Method of mobilizing the product :** Intervention
9. **Characteristics of the goods :**
Common wheat of sound and fair merchantable quality, free from odour and pests, which :
 - has the minimum physical qualities required for common wheat of bread-making quality pursuant to Article 5 (2) of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1629/77 (Official Journal No L 181 of 21 July 1977), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2215/84 (Official Journal No L 203 of 31 July 1984), the moisture content not exceeding 14,5 %
 - meets the technological requirements set out in Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2062/81 (Official Journal No L 201 of 22 July 1981)
10. **Packaging :** in bulk
11. **Port of shipment :**
any Community port accessible to ocean-going vessels with a draught of 34 feet with a shipping service to the recipient country during the period for shipment laid down in point 16. The tender must be accompanied by a statement from the port authorities attesting the existence of the service during the said period.
12. **Delivery stage :** fob
13. **Port of landing :** —
14. **Procedure to be applied in order to determine supply costs :** tendering
15. **Deadline for the submission of tenders :** 12 noon on 18 February 1986
16. **Shipment period :** 1 to 20 March 1986
17. **Security :** 6 ECU per tonne

Note

1. The successful tenderer shall contact the recipient in order to ascertain which shipping documents are required.
 2. The successful tenderer shall supply to the beneficiary or its representative, on delivery, the following documents :
 - certificate of origin
 - phytosanitary certificate
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*BILAG IIb — ANHANG IIb — ΠΑΡΑΡΤΗΜΑ IIb — ANNEX IIb — ANEXO IIb — ANNEXE IIb — ALLEGATO IIb —
BIJLAGE IIb — ANEXO IIb*

Partiets nummer Nummer der Partie Αριθμός παρτίδων Number of lot Número de la partida Numéro du lot Numero della partita Nummer van de partij Número do lote	Mængde (t) Menge (t) Τόνοι Tonnage Tonelaje Tonnage Tonnellaggio Hoeveelheid (t) Tonelagem	Lagerindehaverens navn og adresse Name und Adresse des Lagerhalters Όνομα και διεύθυνση εναποθηκευτού Address of store Nombre y dirección del almacenista Nom et adresse du stockeur Nome e indirizzo del detentore Naam en adres van de depothouder Nome e direcção do armazenista	Lagerplads Ort der Lagerhaltung Τόπος αποθηκεύσεως Town at which stored Lugar de almacenamiento Lieu de stockage Luogo di accantonamento Adres van de opslagplaats Local de armazenagem
1	15 000	Société générale de surveillance (SGS) 18, rue du Louvre BP 275 F-75024 Paris Cedex 01 Contrat n° D 96001	Gent/Gand (B)

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 282/86**of 7 February 1986****on the sale by tender, for export of olive-residue oil held by the Italian intervention agency**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation No 136/66/EEC of 22 September 1966 on the establishment of a common organization of the market in oils and fats⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3768/85⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 12 (4) thereof,

Whereas Article 2 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2754/78⁽³⁾ provides that olive oil held by the intervention agencies is to be put up for sale by tender;

Whereas, pursuant to Article 12 (1) of Regulation No 136/66/EEC, the Italian intervention agency has bought in, since the 1975/76 marketing year, large quantities of olive oil;

Whereas Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2960/77⁽⁴⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1922/85⁽⁵⁾, laid down the conditions for the sale by tender of olive oil; whereas at the moment there is a market for crude olive-residue oil;

Whereas the Community has large quantities of olive-residue oil, held by the Italian intervention agency; whereas some of this oil has been in storage for several years; whereas this oil should be sold by tender and a derogation introduced from Article 1 (2) of the abovementioned Regulation specifying that exported oil must be directly edible;

Whereas the minimum selling price is so fixed that the Community operators enjoy equal conditions of competition with operators in non-member countries; whereas, accordingly, oil should under this Regulation qualify neither for the export refund provided for in Article 20 of Regulation No 136/66/EEC nor for the consumption aid provided for in Article 11 of the same Regulation;

Whereas Article 20 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2730/79 of 29 November 1979 laying down common detailed rules for the application of the system of export

refunds on agricultural products⁽⁶⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 568/85⁽⁷⁾, specifies the evidence required to prove importation into non-Community countries;

Whereas the Management Committee for Oils and Fats has not delivered an opinion within the time limit set by its chairman,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The Italian intervention agency 'Azienda di Stato per gli interventi nel mercato agricolo', hereinafter referred to as 'AIMA', shall open an invitation to tender in accordance with the provisions of this Regulation and of Regulation (EEC) No 2960/77 for the sale for export of approximately 2 000 tonnes of olive-residue oil, from the 1981/82 and 1982/83 marketing years. By way of derogation from Article 1 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 2960/77 this oil must not have been made edible.

Article 2

The invitation to tender shall be published on 10 February 1986.

Particulars of the lots of oil offered for sale and the places where they are stored shall be displayed at the head office of AIMA, via Palestro 81, I-Rome.

A copy of the invitation to tender referred to above shall be sent without delay to the Commission.

Article 3

Tenders must reach AIMA, via Palestro 81, I-Rome, not later than 2 p.m. (local time) on 24 February 1986.

Article 4

1. Tenders shall be made for an oil of 15° acidity.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 172, 30. 9. 1966, p. 3025/66.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 362, 31. 12. 1985, p. 8.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 331, 28. 11. 1978, p. 13.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 348, 30. 12. 1977, p. 46.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 190, 12. 7. 1985, p. 26.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 317, 12. 12. 1979, p. 1.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 65, 6. 3. 1985, p. 5.

2. Where the oil awarded has a different degree of acidity from that for which the tender was submitted, the price to be paid shall be equal to the price tendered, reduced or increased by Lit 2 964 for each degree or fraction of a degree above or below 15°.

Article 5

Not later than three days after the expiry of the time limit laid down for the submission of tenders, AIMA shall send the Commission a list, without mentioning names, stating the highest tender received for each lot put up for sale.

Article 6

The minimum selling price shall be fixed, on the basis of the tenders received, not later than the last working day of the month during which the tenders were submitted and in accordance with the procedure set out in Article 38 of Regulation No 136/66/EEC. The decision fixing the minimum selling price shall be notified forthwith to the Member State concerned.

Article 7

The oil shall be sold by AIMA not later than 7 March 1986. AIMA shall supply the agencies responsible for storage with a list of the lots remaining unsold.

Article 8

The security referred to in Article 7 of Regulation (EEC) No 2960/77 shall be Lit 30 000 per 100 kilograms.

The security referred to in Article 12 (3) of Regulation (EEC) No 2960/77 shall be Lit 100 000 per 100 kilograms of olive-residue oil.

Article 9

The storage charge provided for in Article 15 of Regulation (EEC) No 2960/77 shall be Lit 4 000 per 100 kilograms.

Article 10

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 7 February 1986.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 283/86

of 7 February 1986

fixing the quantities of pigmeat to be offered for sale by invitation to tender and at a fixed price in February 1986 pursuant to Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 2858/85 and publishing the results of the invitation to tender of 28 January 1986

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in pigmeat⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3768/85⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 20 thereof,

Whereas Article 2(2) of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2858/85 of 11 October 1985 on the sale of pigmeat held by the Belgian intervention agency pursuant to Regulations (EEC) No 772/85, (EEC) No 978/85 and (EEC) No 1477/85⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3698/85⁽⁴⁾, provides that the quantities of meat to be sold in the monthly invitation to tender are to be determined in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 24 of Regulation (EEC) No 2759/75; whereas the quantities for the invitation to tender of 25 February 1986 need to be fixed in accordance with the availability of meat and the current state of the market for pigmeat;

Whereas Article 8(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2858/85 further provides that the quantities not sold in a given invitation to tender are to be sold at a fixed price in accordance with the terms set out therein; whereas in order to accelerate the sale of this meat the conditions of Article 8(1) should be relaxed; whereas Article 8(2) provides that the quantities to be thus sold are to be published in the *Official Journal of the European*

Communities at the same time as the results of the invitation to tender relating thereto;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Management Committee for Pigmeat,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The Belgian intervention agency shall put up for sale, in accordance with Articles 2(2) and 3(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2858/85, 7 000 tonnes of pigmeat in the invitation to tender of 25 February 1986.

Article 2

1. In accordance with Article 2(2) and 3(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2858/85, the results of the invitation to tender of 28 January 1986 appear in Annex I hereto.
2. By way of derogation from the provisions of Article 8(1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2858/85 the quantities of meat remaining for sale at a fixed price as from 10 February 1986 appear in Annex II as well as the price applicable to the product in question.

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 7 February 1986.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 282, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 362, 31. 12. 1985, p. 8.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 274, 15. 10. 1985, p. 22.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 351, 28. 12. 1985, p. 51.

*ANNEX I***Results of 28 January 1986 invitation to tender in accordance with Articles 2 (2) and 3 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2858/85**

Description of products	Quantities accepted (tonnes)	Minimum price (ECU/tonne)
Hams, frozen (ex 02.01 A III a) 2)	632	935
Shoulders or fore-ends, frozen (ex 02.01 A III a) 3)	180	539
Loins, frozen (ex 02.01 A III a) 4)	30	900
Bellies without rind, frozen (ex 02.01 A III a) 6 aa))	10	350

ANNEX II

Quantities of meat remaining for sale at fixed prices as from 10 February 1986 in accordance with Article 8 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 2858/85

NATIONAL HEALTH MARK

Description of products	Week of initial storage	Quantity (tonnes)	Warehouse	Price (ECU/tonne)
Carcases, frozen (ex 02.01 A III a) 1)	22. 4. 1985 — 28. 4. 1985	20,000	(a)	500
	22. 4. 1985 — 28. 4. 1985	50,000	(c)	
	22. 4. 1985 — 28. 4. 1985	17,130	(e)	
	22. 4. 1985 — 28. 4. 1985	46,220	(g)	
		133,350		
Hams, frozen (ex 02.01 A III a) 2)	1. 4. 1985 — 7. 4. 1985	14,702	(c)	985
	1. 4. 1985 — 7. 4. 1985	15,092	(p)	
	8. 4. 1985 — 14. 4. 1985	29,841	(c)	
	8. 4. 1985 — 14. 4. 1985	4,733	(k)	
	8. 4. 1985 — 14. 4. 1985	17,588	(r)	
	8. 4. 1985 — 14. 4. 1985	33,995	(a)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	127,795	(a)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	96,048	(c)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	92,572	(q)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	14,568	(r)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	34,994	(a)	
	22. 4. 1985 — 28. 4. 1985	287,680	(a)	
	22. 4. 1985 — 28. 4. 1985	44,694	(i)	
	22. 4. 1985 — 28. 4. 1985	20,000	(j)	
	22. 4. 1985 — 28. 4. 1985	9,171	(k)	
	22. 4. 1985 — 28. 4. 1985	39,715	(r)	
	29. 4. 1985 — 5. 5. 1985	30,145	(r)	
	29. 4. 1985 — 5. 5. 1985	4,922	(d)	
	29. 4. 1985 — 5. 5. 1985	49,755	(c)	
	6. 5. 1985 — 12. 5. 1985	144,880	(a)	
	6. 5. 1985 — 12. 5. 1985	35,461	(v)	
	6. 5. 1985 — 12. 5. 1985	32,129	(w)	
	6. 5. 1985 — 12. 5. 1985	49,986	(c)	
	6. 5. 1985 — 12. 5. 1985	44,757	(i)	
	13. 5. 1985 — 19. 5. 1985	0,548	(r)	
		1 275,771		
Shoulders or fore-ends, frozen (ex 02.01 A III a) 3)	1. 4. 1985 — 7. 4. 1985	9,952	(c)	589
	1. 4. 1985 — 7. 4. 1985	4,528	(p)	
	8. 4. 1985 — 14. 4. 1985	70,579	(a)	
	8. 4. 1985 — 14. 4. 1985	34,760	(c)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	86,031	(a)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	213,692	(a)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	43,130	(c)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	49,752	(q)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	14,826	(r)	
	22. 4. 1985 — 28. 4. 1985	351,933	(a)	
	22. 4. 1985 — 28. 4. 1985	20,000	(j)	
	22. 4. 1985 — 28. 4. 1985	4,720	(k)	
	22. 4. 1985 — 28. 4. 1985	39,420	(r)	
	29. 4. 1985 — 5. 5. 1985	169,831	(a)	
	29. 4. 1985 — 5. 5. 1985	12,184	(r)	
	29. 4. 1985 — 5. 5. 1985	9,710	(d)	
	29. 4. 1985 — 5. 5. 1985	37,798	(i)	
	6. 5. 1985 — 12. 5. 1985	44,602	(i)	
	6. 5. 1985 — 12. 5. 1985	4,720	(k)	
	6. 5. 1985 — 12. 5. 1985	3,274	(r)	
	6. 5. 1985 — 12. 5. 1985	28,639	(v)	
	13. 5. 1985 — 19. 5. 1985	3,605	(r)	
		1 257,686		

Description of products	Week of initial storage	Quantity (tonnes)	Warehouse	Price (ECU/tonne)
Loins, frozen (ex 02.01 A III a) 4)	1. 4. 1985 — 7. 4. 1985	14,547	(c)	950
	1. 4. 1985 — 7. 4. 1985	8,736	(p)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	10,000	(c)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	6,926	(r)	
	22. 4. 1985 — 28. 4. 1985	40,000	(j)	
	29. 4. 1985 — 5. 5. 1985	25,128	(r)	
	29. 4. 1985 — 5. 5. 1985	55,000	(d)	
	6. 5. 1985 — 12. 5. 1985	13,000	(h)	
	13. 5. 1985 — 19. 5. 1985	11,811	(r)	
		185,148		
Bellies with rind, frozen (ex 02.01 A III a) 5)	1. 4. 1985 — 7. 4. 1985	5,000	(c)	400
	8. 4. 1985 — 14. 4. 1985	15,000	(c)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	5,328	(a)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	10,000	(c)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	8,082	(r)	
	22. 4. 1985 — 28. 4. 1985	5,000	(d)	
	29. 4. 1985 — 5. 5. 1985	10,805	(r)	
	13. 5. 1985 — 19. 5. 1985	3,186	(r)	
		62,401		
Bellies without rind, frozen (ex 02.01 A III a) 6 aa)	1. 4. 1985 — 7. 4. 1985	9,630	(c)	400
	1. 4. 1985 — 7. 4. 1985	4,931	(p)	
		14,561		
Total		2 928,917		

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Description of products	Week of initial storage	Quantity (tonnes)	Warehouse	Price (ECU/tonne)
Carcases, frozen (ex 02.01 A III a) 1)	6. 5. 1985 — 12. 5. 1985	8,459	(t)	500
	6. 5. 1985 — 12. 5. 1985	161,711	(u)	
	13. 5. 1985 — 19. 5. 1985	50,000	(e)	
		220,170		
Hams, frozen (ex 02.01 A III a) 2)	1. 4. 1985 — 7. 4. 1985	50,000	(j)	985
	1. 4. 1985 — 7. 4. 1985	50,000	(q)	
	8. 4. 1985 — 14. 4. 1985	99,064	(q)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	40,000	(d)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	92,857	(m)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	40,000	(s)	
	22. 4. 1985 — 28. 4. 1985	20,966	(m)	
	22. 4. 1985 — 28. 4. 1985	185,693	(q)	
	6. 5. 1985 — 12. 5. 1985	39,566	(r)	
	6. 5. 1985 — 12. 5. 1985	111,084	(v)	
	13. 5. 1985 — 19. 5. 1985	7,512	(o)	
		736,742		

Description of products	Week of initial storage	Quantity (tonnes)	Warehouse	Price (ECU/tonne)
Shoulders or fore-ends, frozen (ex 02.01 A III a) 3)	1. 4. 1985 — 7. 4. 1985	30,000	(j)	589
	8. 4. 1985 — 14. 4. 1985	15,000	(b)	
	8. 4. 1985 — 14. 4. 1985	15,000	(b)	
	8. 4. 1985 — 14. 4. 1985	5,000	(p)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	29,000	(a)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	10,000	(b)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	10,000	(b)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	32,219	(d)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	49,999	(g)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	100,000	(j)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	28,395	(k)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	23,734	(m)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	70,000	(q)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	9,566	(r)	
	29. 4. 1985 — 5. 5. 1985	7,333	(r)	
	6. 5. 1985 — 12. 5. 1985	44,322	(r)	
	6. 5. 1985 — 12. 5. 1985	99,192	(v)	
	6. 5. 1985 — 12. 5. 1985	6,517	(o)	
	6. 5. 1985 — 12. 5. 1985	45,713	(i)	
	13. 5. 1985 — 19. 5. 1985	6,177	(r)	
	13. 5. 1985 — 19. 5. 1985	62,902	(w)	
		700,069		
Loins, frozen (ex 02.01 A III a) 4)	25. 3. 1985 — 31. 3. 1985	14,969	(p)	950
	1. 4. 1985 — 7. 4. 1985	50,000	(k)	
	1. 4. 1985 — 7. 4. 1985	15,981	(p)	
	1. 4. 1985 — 7. 4. 1985	20,000	(s)	
	1. 4. 1985 — 7. 4. 1985	20,000	(g)	
	8. 4. 1985 — 14. 4. 1985	97,068	(j)	
	8. 4. 1985 — 14. 4. 1985	49,644	(p)	
	8. 4. 1985 — 14. 4. 1985	50,000	(q)	
	8. 4. 1985 — 14. 4. 1985	20,000	(s)	
	8. 4. 1985 — 14. 4. 1985	14,955	(p)	
	8. 4. 1985 — 14. 4. 1985	39,706	(g)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	100,000	(j)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	29,217	(m)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	50,000	(q)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	18,718	(r)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	40,000	(g)	
	22. 4. 1985 — 28. 4. 1985	97,717	(a)	
	29. 4. 1985 — 5. 5. 1985	14,702	(r)	
	6. 5. 1985 — 12. 5. 1985	14,980	(m)	
	13. 5. 1985 — 19. 5. 1985	11,116	(r)	
		768,432		
Bellies with rind, frozen (ex 02.01 A III a) 5)	1. 4. 1985 — 7. 4. 1985	19,816	(p)	400
	8. 4. 1985 — 14. 4. 1985	18,892	(a)	
	8. 4. 1985 — 14. 4. 1985	5,000	(p)	
	8. 4. 1985 — 14. 4. 1985	49,690	(q)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	10,000	(b)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	99,430	(l)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	81,387	(l)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	39,780	(p)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	9,505	(r)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	28,858	(m)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	19,996	(g)	
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	94,672	(a)	
	22. 4. 1985 — 28. 4. 1985	90,834	(j)	
	22. 4. 1985 — 28. 4. 1985	29,150	(m)	
	22. 4. 1985 — 28. 4. 1985	10,000	(b)	
	22. 4. 1985 — 28. 4. 1985	2,690	(r)	
	29. 4. 1985 — 5. 5. 1985	6,629	(r)	
	6. 5. 1985 — 12. 5. 1985	59,079	(m)	

Description of products	Week of initial storage	Quantity (tonnes)	Warehouse	Price (ECU/tonne)
Bellies with rind, frozen (ex 02.01 A III a) 5) (continued)	13. 5. 1985 — 19. 5. 1985	5,382	(r)	400
	10. 6. 1985 — 16. 6. 1985	10,000	(e)	
	10. 6. 1985 — 16. 6. 1985	9,990	(y)	
	17. 6. 1985 — 23. 6. 1985	8,610	(e)	
		<u>709,390</u>		
Bellies without rind, frozen (ex 02.01 A III a) 6 aa)	8. 4. 1985 — 14. 4. 1985	40,000	(p)	400
	15. 4. 1985 — 21. 4. 1985	34,809	(p)	
	22. 4. 1985 — 28. 4. 1985	9,961	(p)	
		<u>84,770</u>		
Total		3 219,914		

LIST OF WAREHOUSES

(a) Horafrost	Grote Veldstraat B-8140 Staden
(b) Klaasen & Co.	Peelsestraat 50 B-2380 Ravels
(c) Van Soest	Houtelweg 1 B-2310 Rijkevorsel
(d) Segakor	Handzamestraat 84 B-8840 Kortemark
(e) Vanden Avenne	Hanestraat 172 B-9360 Buggenhout
(f) Noord-Natie	Kaai 320 B-2000 Antwerpen
(g) Eurefa-Gent	Port Arthurlaan Grootdokkaai 32/34 B-9000 Gent
(h) Foodimpex	A. Cahierstraat 8 B-9810 Drongen
(i) Begro	Tomburgstraat 8 B B-8850 Ardooie
(j) Benmar	Groot Veerle 15 B-2168 Brecht
(k) Comelco	Brug Zuid 16 B-9880 Aalter
(l) NV Vlevico	Steenweg op Edingen 196 B-1500 Halle
(m) NV Goemaere	Drieslaan 29 B-8640 Moorsele
(n) Decoster	Bruggestraat 82 B-8080 Ruiselede
(o) Dion Vandewiele	Grote Steenweg 42 B-9870 Zulte
(p) Eurofrost	Izegemstraat 412 B-8710 Kortrijk
(q) De Jaeghere	Peperstraat 16 b B-8920 Langemark
(r) Coldstar Primeur	Desselgemstraat 193 B-8798 Sint Eloois Vijve
(s) Van Landschoot	Prins Boudewijnlaan 22 B-9991 Adegem
(t) Pinguin	Romenstraat 3 B-8699 Westrozebeke
(u) Ardovries	Wezestraat 61 B-8850 Ardooie
(v) Talpe	Amersveldstraat 12 B-8110 Kortemark
(w) Westvlees	Kosterstraat 1 B-8699 Staden
(x) Coldstar	Weverstraat 14 B-2900 Londerzeel
(y) De Beck	Quai de Mariemont 45 B-1070 Brussel
(z) NV Colruyt	Steenweg op Edingen 136 B-1500 Halle

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 284/86
of 7 February 1986
fixing the amount of the subsidy on oil seeds

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation No 136/66/EEC of 22 September 1966 on the establishment of a common organization of the market in oils and fats ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3768/85 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 27 (4),

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1678/85 of 11 June 1985 fixing the conversion rates to be applied in agriculture ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3772/85 ⁽⁴⁾,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1569/72 of 20 July 1972 laying down special measures for colza, rape and sunflower seed ⁽⁵⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1474/84 ⁽⁶⁾, and in particular Article 2 (3) thereof,

Having regard to the opinion of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas the amount of the subsidy referred to in Article 27 of Regulation No 136/66/EEC was fixed by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 191/86 ⁽⁷⁾ as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 218/86 ⁽⁸⁾;

Whereas, in the absence of the target price for the 1985/86 marketing year for colza and rape seed and in the absence of the amount of the monthly increase for March, April, May and June 1986 for colza and rape seed, the amount of the subsidy in the case of advance fixing for February, March, April, May and June 1986 for colza and rape seed has been obtainable only provisionally on the basis of the target price and the monthly increase as last proposed by the Commission to the Council for the marketing year 1985/86; whereas this amount may, therefore, be applied on a temporary basis and should be confirmed or replaced when the indicative price of the 1985/86 marketing year is known;

Whereas, in the absence of the indicative price for the 1986/87 marketing year for colza and rape seed, in case of advance fixing for July 1986, the amount of the subsidy on these products has been obtainable only on the basis of the indicative price proposed by the Commission to the Council for the marketing year 1985/86; whereas this amount may, therefore, be applied on a temporary basis and should be confirmed or replaced when the indicative price of the 1986/87 marketing year is known;

Whereas it follows from applying the detailed rules contained in Regulation (EEC) No 191/86 to the information known to the Commission that the amount of the subsidy at present in force should be altered to the amount set out in the Annexes hereto,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. The amounts of the subsidy and the exchange rates referred to in Article 33 (2) and (3) of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2681/83 ⁽⁹⁾ shall be as set out in the Annexes hereto.
2. The amount of the subsidy in the case of advance fixing for February, March, April, May and June 1986 for colza and rape seed will, however, be confirmed or replaced as from 8 February 1986 to take into account the indicative price which is fixed for these products for the 1985/86 marketing year, and the amount of the monthly increase for March, April, May and June 1986 for colza and rape seed.
3. The amount of the subsidy in the case of advance fixing for July 1986 will, however, for colza and rape seed, be confirmed or replaced as from 8 February 1986 to take into account the indicative price which is fixed for these products for the 1986/87 marketing year.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 8 February 1986.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 172, 30. 9. 1966, p. 3025/66.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 362, 31. 12. 1985, p. 8.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 164, 24. 6. 1985, p. 11.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 362, 31. 12. 1985, p. 24.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 167, 25. 7. 1972, p. 9.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 143, 30. 5. 1984, p. 4.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 23, 30. 1. 1986, p. 21.

⁽⁸⁾ OJ No L 27, 1. 2. 1986, p. 35.

⁽⁹⁾ OJ No L 266, 28. 9. 1983, p. 1.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 7 February 1986.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

ANNEX I

Aids to colza and rape seed

(amounts per 100 kilograms)

	Current month (1)	2nd month (1)	3rd month (1)	4th month (1)	5th month (1)	6th month (2)
1. Gross aids (ECU)	28,173	28,804	24,980	24,980	27,256	23,096
2. Final aids						
Seeds harvested and processed in :						
— Federal Republic of Germany (DM)	68,65	70,14	61,34	61,50	66,76	57,29
— Netherlands (Fl)	77,35	79,04	69,09	69,26	75,19	64,46
— BLEU (Bfrs/Lfrs)	1 307,56	1 336,85	1 159,37	1 158,37	1 264,09	1 064,18
— France (FF)	194,99	199,42	171,80	171,07	187,35	155,87
— Denmark (Dkr)	237,08	242,38	210,21	210,21	229,36	193,87
— Ireland (£ Irl)	21,133	21,606	18,734	18,687	20,399	16,989
— United Kingdom (£)	15,976	16,373	13,712	13,712	15,275	12,544
— Italy (Lit)	40 121	41 063	34 863	34 670	38 252	31 452
— Greece (Dr)	2 078,91	2 147,67	1 592,68	1 592,68	1 911,35	1 485,59

(1) On the basis of the Commission's proposal concerning the indicative price for the 1985/86 marketing year and subject to confirmation by the Council's decision.

(2) Contingent on the Council's decision on prices and related matters for the 1986/87 marketing year.

ANNEX II

Aids to sunflower seed

(amounts per 100 kilograms)

	Current month	2nd month	3rd month	4th month	5th month
1. Gross aids (ECU)	37,158	38,687	36,251	36,251	36,251
2. Final aids					
Seeds harvested and processed in :					
— Federal Republic of Germany (DM)	90,21	93,79	88,17	88,32	88,32
— Netherlands (Fl)	101,64	105,68	99,32	99,49	99,49
— BLEU (Bfrs/Lfrs)	1 724,57	1 795,53	1 682,47	1 681,50	1 681,50
— France (FF)	257,70	268,50	250,81	250,10	250,10
— Denmark (Dkr)	312,68	325,55	305,05	305,05	305,05
— Ireland (£ Irl)	27,873	29,019	27,188	27,144	27,144
— United Kingdom (£)	21,404	22,412	20,739	20,739	20,739
— Italy (Lit)	53 291	55 624	51 634	51 447	51 447
— Greece (Dr)	2 926,54	3 117,45	2 776,38	2 776,38	2 776,38

ANNEX III

Exchange rate of the ECU to be used for converting final aids into the currency of the processing country when the latter is a country other than the country of production

(value of 1 ECU)

	Current month	2nd month	3rd month	4th month	5th month	6th month
DM	2,165070	2,154540	2,142970	2,132860	2,132860	2,110600
Fl	2,443790	2,434110	2,423460	2,414480	2,414480	2,395560
Bfrs/Lfrs	44,294300	44,326200	44,403300	44,420500	44,420500	44,488100
FF	6,632970	6,669020	6,707790	6,744800	6,744800	6,803400
Dkr	7,981780	7,963320	7,943740	7,930080	7,930080	7,916300
£ Irl	0,715423	0,718070	0,721701	0,725510	0,725510	0,730875
£	0,647914	0,648785	0,649731	0,651243	0,651243	0,656881
Lit	1 474,39	1 486,24	1 498,92	1 507,92	1 507,92	1 531,01
Dr	132,80420	132,63640	132,49040	132,34710	132,34710	132,20220

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 285/86

of 7 February 1986

altering the import levies on products processed from cereals and rice

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 of 29 October 1975 on the common organization of the market in cereals⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3793/85⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 14 (4) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1418/76 of 21 June 1976 on the common organization of the market in rice⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3768/85, and in particular Article 12 (4) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation No 1676/85 of 11 June 1985 on the value of the unit of account and the exchange rates to be applied for the purposes of the common agricultural policy⁽⁴⁾, and in particular Article 3 thereof,

Having regard to the advice of the Monetary Committee,

Whereas the import levies on products processed from cereals and rice were fixed by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 200/86⁽⁵⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 273/86⁽⁶⁾;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 1027/84 of 31 March 1984⁽⁷⁾ as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2744/75⁽⁸⁾ as regards products falling within subheading 23.02 A of the Common Customs Tariff;

Whereas, if the levy system is to operate normally, levies should be calculated on the following basis:

- in the case of currencies which are maintained in relation to each other at any given moment within a band of 2,25 %, a rate of exchange based on their central

rate, multiplied by the corrective factor provided for in the last paragraph of Article 3 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1676/85,

- for other currencies, an exchange rate based on the arithmetic mean of the spot market rates of each of these currencies recorded over a given period in relation to the Community currencies referred to in the previous indent, and the aforesaid coefficient;

Whereas these exchange rates being those recorded on 6 February 1986;

Whereas the levy on the basic product as last fixed differs from the average levy by more than 3,02 ECU per tonne of basic product; whereas, pursuant to Article 1 of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1579/74⁽⁹⁾ the levies at present in force must therefore be altered to the amounts set out in the Annex hereto,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The import levies to be charged on products processed from cereals and rice covered by Regulation (EEC) No 2744/75, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 1027/84, as fixed in the Annex to the amended Regulation (EEC) No 200/86, are hereby altered to the amounts set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 8 February 1986.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 7 February 1986.

For the Commission

Frans ANDRIESEN

Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 1.
⁽²⁾ OJ No L 367, 31. 12. 1985, p. 19.
⁽³⁾ OJ No L 166, 25. 6. 1976, p. 1.
⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 164, 24. 6. 1985, p. 1.
⁽⁵⁾ OJ No L 25, 31. 1. 1986, p. 19.
⁽⁶⁾ OJ No L 32, 7. 2. 1986, p. 17.
⁽⁷⁾ OJ No L 107, 19. 4. 1984, p. 15.
⁽⁸⁾ OJ No L 281, 1. 11. 1975, p. 65.

⁽⁹⁾ OJ No L 168, 25. 6. 1974, p. 7.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 7 February 1986 altering the import levies on products processed from cereals and rice

(ECU/tonne)

CCT heading No	Import levies	
	Third countries (other than ACP or OCT)	ACP or OCT
11.02 A II ⁽²⁾	242,43	236,39
11.02 B II b) ⁽²⁾	177,69	174,67
11.02 C II ⁽²⁾	213,15	210,13
11.02 D II ⁽²⁾	136,98	133,96
11.02 E II b) ⁽²⁾	242,43	236,39
11.02 F II ⁽²⁾	242,43	236,39

⁽²⁾ For the purpose of distinguishing between products falling within heading Nos 11.01 and 11.02 and those falling within subheading 23.02 A, products falling within heading Nos 11.01 and 11.02 shall be those meeting the following specifications:

- a starch content (determined by the modified Ewers polarimetric method), referred to dry matter, exceeding 45 % by weight,
- an ash content, by weight, referred to dry matter (after deduction of any added minerals), not exceeding 1,6 % for rice, 2,5 % for wheat, 3 % for barley, 4 % for buckwheat, 5 % for oats and 2 % for other cereals.

Germ of cereals, whole, rolled, flaked or ground, falls in all cases within heading No 11.02.

COMMISSION REGULATION (EEC) No 286/86
of 7 February 1986
fixing the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,
 Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 of 30 June 1981 on the common organization of the markets in the sugar sector ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3768/85 ⁽²⁾, and in particular Article 16 (8) thereof,

Whereas the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar were fixed by Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1809/85 ⁽³⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 274/86 ⁽⁴⁾;

Whereas it follows from applying the detailed rules contained in Regulation (EEC) No 1809/85 to the information known to the Commission that the levies at

present in force should be altered to the amounts set out in the Annex hereto,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

The import levies referred to in Article 16 (1) of Regulation (EEC) No 1785/81 shall be, in respect of white sugar and standard quality raw sugar, as set out in the Annex hereto.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 8 February 1986.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 7 February 1986.

For the Commission
 Frans ANDRIESEN
 Vice-President

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 177, 1. 7. 1981, p. 4.
⁽²⁾ OJ No L 362, 31. 12. 1985, p. 8.
⁽³⁾ OJ No L 169, 29. 6. 1985, p. 77.
⁽⁴⁾ OJ No L 32, 7. 2. 1986, p. 19.

ANNEX

to the Commission Regulation of 7 February 1986 fixing the import levies on white sugar and raw sugar

<i>(ECU/100 kg)</i>		
CCT heading No	Description	Levy
17.01	Beet sugar and cane sugar, in solid form :	
	A. White sugar : flavoured or coloured sugar	47,78
	B. Raw sugar	42,47 ⁽¹⁾

⁽¹⁾ Applicable to raw sugar with a yield of 92 % ; if the yield is other than 92 %, the levy applicable is calculated in accordance with the provisions of Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No 837/68.

II

(Acts whose publication is not obligatory)

COUNCIL

COUNCIL DECISION

of 4 February 1986

concerning the conclusion of an Agreement extending and amending the Community-COST Concertation Agreement on a concerted action project in the field of shore-based marine navigation aid systems (COST Project 301)

(86/22/EEC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to the draft Decision submitted by the Commission,

Whereas, by Decision 86/5/EEC⁽¹⁾, the Council extended until 31 December 1986 and amended Decision 82/887/EEC of 13 December 1982 adopting a concerted action project for the European Economic Community in the field of shore-based marine navigation aid systems⁽²⁾;

Whereas by its Decision of 4 May 1982 the Council authorized the Commission to negotiate an Agreement with the third countries participating in European cooperation in the field of scientific and technical research (COST) for the implementation of a concerted action project on shore-based marine navigation aid systems;

Whereas, by Decision 83/124/EEC⁽³⁾, the Council approved a Community-COST Concertation Agreement on a concerted action project in the field of shore-based marine navigation aid systems (COST Project 301), negotiated with the Kingdom of Spain, the Republic of Finland, the Kingdom of Norway and the Kingdom of Sweden;

Whereas since 1 January 1986 Spain has become a Member of the Community;

Whereas the Commission has negotiated with the Republic of Finland, the Kingdom of Norway and the Kingdom of Sweden an Agreement extending and amending the abovementioned Concertation Agreement; whereas that Agreement should be approved,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The Agreement extending and amending the Community-COST Concertation Agreement on a concerted action project in the field of shore-based marine navigation aid systems (COST Project 301) is hereby approved on behalf of the Community.

The text of the Agreement is attached to this Decision.

Article 2

The President of the Council is hereby authorized to designate the persons empowered to sign the Agreement in order to bind the Community.

Done at Brussels, 4 February 1986.

For the Council

The President

W. F. van EEKELEN

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 18, 24. 1. 1986, p. 38.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 378, 31. 12. 1982, p. 32.

⁽³⁾ OJ No L 84, 30. 3. 1983, p. 9.

AGREEMENT

extending and amending the Community-COST Concertation Agreement on a concerted action project in the field of shore-based marine navigation aid systems (COST Project 301)

THE EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY,
hereinafter referred to as 'the Community',
of the one part, and

THE REPUBLIC OF FINLAND, THE KINGDOM OF
NORWAY AND THE KINGDOM OF SWEDEN,

hereinafter referred to as 'the participating non-member States',

of the other part,

Whereas the Community-COST Concertation Agreement on a concerted action project in the field of shore-based marine navigation aid systems (COST Project 301), hereinafter referred to as 'the Agreement', signed by the Community, the Republic of Finland, the Kingdom of Norway, the Kingdom of Spain and the Kingdom of Sweden, will expire on 31 December 1985;

Whereas by Decision 86/5/EEC the Council of the European Communities extended until 31 December 1986 and amended the Community concerted action project on shore-based marine navigation aid systems;

Whereas it is in the common interest of the Community and the participating non-member States, hereinafter referred to as 'the Contracting Parties' to continue the research covered by the Agreement;

Whereas the extension of the Agreement necessitates supplementary contributions by the Contracting Parties,

HAVE AGREED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The Agreement is hereby extended for the period 1 January to 31 December 1986.

Article 2

The table attached to Annex C to the Agreement shall be replaced by that appearing in this Agreement.

Article 3

The supplementary financial contribution from the Contracting Parties to the coordination costs shall be:

- 200 000 ECU from the Community,
- 16 600 ECU from each participating non-member State.

The ECU is defined in the Financial Regulation applicable to the general budget of the European Communities and in the financial provisions adopted pursuant to that Regulation.

Article 4

This Agreement shall apply, on the one hand, to the territories in which the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community is applied and under the conditions laid down in that Treaty, and, on the other hand, to the territories of the participating non-member States.

Article 5

This Agreement shall enter into force on 1 January 1986.

Article 6

This Agreement, drawn up in a single original in the Danish, Dutch, English, French, German, Greek, Italian, Portuguese and Spanish languages, each text being equally authentic, shall be deposited in the archives of the General Secretariat of the Council of the European Communities, which shall transmit a certified copy to each of the Contracting Parties.

ANNEX

PROVISIONAL TIMETABLE FOR THE CONCERTED ACTION PROJECT 'SHORE-BASED MARINE NAVIGATION AID SYSTEMS'

	1983		1984		1985 ⁽¹⁾		1986		1987		Total	
	Commitments undertaken	Payment made	Commitments undertaken	Payment made	CA ⁽¹⁾	PA ⁽¹⁾	CA	PA	CA	PA	CA	PA
1. Initial estimate of overall requirements:												
— staff	1 152	1 152	24 002	23 988	34 100	34 100 (14)	35 100	35 100	—	pm	94 354	94 354
— administrative operating expenditure	114 693	98 448	153 255	92 736	125 000 (28 998)	125 000 (105 762)	164 900	164 900	—	pm	586 846	586 846
— contracts	520 767	121 115	262 315	239 455	340 900 (494 818)	340 900 (117 330)	pm	305 000	—	495 000	1 618 800	1 618 800
Total (outstanding from 1984)	636 612 ⁽⁴⁾	220 715	439 572	356 179	500 000 ⁽²⁾ (523 816) ⁽³⁾	500 000 ⁽²⁾ (223 106)	200 000	505 000	—	495 000	2 300 000	2 300 000
2. Revised estimate of expenditure taking into account additional requirements arising from the accession of participating non-member States												
— staff	1 152	1 152	24 002	23 988	34 100	34 144	35 100	35 100	—	pm	94 354	94 354
— administrative operating expenditure	114 693	98 448	213 255	152 736	248 700	325 464	214 700	214 700	—	pm	791 348	791 348
— contracts	595 969	151 471	494 353	516 339	835 718	458 230	pm	305 000	—	495 000	1 926 040	1 926 040
Total	711 814 ⁽⁴⁾	251 071	731 610	693 063	1 118 518	817 808	249 800	554 800	—	495 000	2 811 742	2 811 742
3. Difference between 1 and 2 to be covered by contributions from participating non-member States	75 202	30 356	292 038	336 884	94 702	94 702	49 800	49 800	—	pm	511 742	511 742

(1) CA = commitment appropriation; PA = payment appropriation.

(2) Including the opening of appropriations entered on 31 December 1984 under COST Agreements with non-member States.

(3) The scale of existing sums results from the allocation of appropriations at the end of 1984, totalling 292 038 ECU, emanating from the revenue accruing from non-member States contributions.

(4) Taking into account the amount of 17 967 ECU released during the 1984 financial year.

(5) The 1985 budget having allocated a credit of 200 000 ECU in CA and 300 000 ECU in PA, transfer No 11/85 of 300 000 ECU in CA and 200 000 ECU in PA has been approved by the budget authority.

COUNCIL DECISION

of 4 February 1986

relating to the coordinated development of computerized administrative procedures (CD project)

(86/23/EEC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Article 235 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission ⁽¹⁾,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament ⁽²⁾,

Whereas pursuant to the Council resolution of 15 May 1984 on the computerization of the administrative procedures in intra-Community trade ⁽³⁾, the Commission has sent to the Council a communication ⁽⁴⁾ which provides a framework for developing computerized systems for international trade extending up to 31 December 1991; whereas that communication broadens the scope of the said resolution since it not only establishes guidelines for developing national computerized systems dealing with intra-Community trade but also covers systems for international trade extending up to 31 December 1991; whereas that communication broadens the scope of the said resolution since it not only establishes guidelines for developing national computerized systems dealing with intra-Community trade but also covers systems for external trade and the interconnection of the relevant systems of the Commission with those of the Member States;

Whereas the Community framework for computerizing administrative procedures should cover the following six fields: intra-Community trade, third country trade (imports and exports), trader interfaces, Commission systems, systems interconnection and data interchange standards;

Whereas, in the case of intra-Community trade, the computerization of administrative procedures must proceed in harmony with the results of actions aimed at creating all the conditions for the achievement of a single market in the Community by 1992 at the latest;

Whereas the Commission should be responsible for adopting the measures necessary for the coordinated development of computerized administrative procedures (CD project); whereas the Commission and each of the Member States must remain responsible for implementing their own computer systems, taking into account the objectives of the CD project; whereas these objectives are an integral part of the more general framework of the Cooperation in Automation of Data and Documentation

for Imports/Exports and Agriculture (CADDIA) programme ⁽⁵⁾; whereas at the present stage it is therefore necessary to make the duration of the CD project and that of the CADDIA programme coincide; whereas, in order to assist the Commission in the implementation of the CD project, a Management Committee for the project should be set up; whereas an appropriate procedure should be laid down which allows the Commission to adopt Community measures in certain fields for the implementation of the CD project;

Whereas the Treaty has not provided the necessary powers other than those of Article 235,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

1. The Council takes note of the Commission's communication on the Coordinated Development of Computerized Administrative Procedures (CD project) and of the proposals contained therein made pursuant to the Council resolution of 15 May 1984.
2. The Commission shall be responsible for the coordination necessary for the implementation of the CD project.
3. The Commission and the Member States shall be guided by a development programme, including an implementation timetable, elaborated in the committee provided for in Article 4, taking due account of the computerization framework presented in the Commission's communication.

Article 2

1. The CD shall be undertaken as part of the CADDIA programme and in conformity with its long-term objectives of providing the necessary organizational infrastructure and data-processing facilities to enable the Commission and the Member States to obtain access to and process, expeditiously and efficiently, the information necessary for the operation of the Customs Union and of the Community's commercial policies and the management and financial control of agricultural markets.
2. In implementing the project, the Commission and the Member States shall have due regard to the implications and results of all actions aimed at achieving completely and effectively the conditions for a single market in the Community by 1992 at the latest.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No C 167, 6. 7. 1985, p. 3.

⁽²⁾ OJ No C 345, 31. 12. 1985.

⁽³⁾ OJ No C 137, 24. 5. 1984, p. 1.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ No C 15, 16. 1. 1985, p. 1.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ No C 112, 26. 4. 1984, p. 1; and OJ No L 96, 3. 4. 1985, p. 35.

Article 3

1. The Commission and each Member State shall be responsible for the design, development and implementation of their own computer systems.
2. The Commission and the Member States shall establish their implementation timetables having regard to the objectives of the CD project and the development programme referred to in Article 1 (3).
3. The planning and development work shall be carried out in close cooperation with relevant commercial and industrial interests with a view to the specification of appropriate interfaces between administrative and private systems.

Article 4

1. A committee shall be set up to assist the Commission in the execution of the tasks referred to in Article 1 (2), in conformity with guidelines laid down within the CADDIA steering committee.

The committee shall consist of representatives of the Member States and shall be chaired by a representative of the Commission.

2. The committee may examine all questions relating to the implementation of the CD project referred to it by its chairman on his own initiative or at the request of the representative of a Member State.
3. The committee shall adopt its own rules of procedure.

Article 5

1. Measures relating to the following matters required for the implementation of the CD project shall be adopted under the procedures established in paragraphs 2 to 5 of this Article, in conformity with guidelines for the use of information technology (IT) standards laid down within the CADDIA steering committee :

- (a) syntax rules for the purpose of data exchange between the Commission and Member States, between the customs administrations of one Member State and another, and between the Commission or national customs administrations and persons, whether natural

or legal, who are authorized to exchange data by electronic means with them ;

- (b) data element descriptions, codes, message formats and transmission standards for use in the exchanges referred to in subparagraph (a) ;
- (c) minimum standards to ensure physical protection against unauthorized access to data subject to the exchanges referred to in subparagraph (a) ;

2. The representative of the Commission shall submit to the committee a draft of the measures to be adopted. The committee shall deliver its opinion on the draft within a time limit which the chairman may lay down according to the urgency of the matter. Opinions shall be delivered by a qualified majority, the votes of the Member States being weighted as provided in Article 148 (2) of the Treaty. The chairman shall not vote.

3. The Commission shall adopt the intended measures where they are in accordance with the Committee's opinion.

4. Where the intended measures are not in accordance with the committee's opinion or in the absence of an opinion, the Commission shall forthwith submit to the Council a proposal relating to the measures to be taken. The Council shall act by a qualified majority.

5. If, on the expiry of three months from the date on which the matter was referred to it, the Council has not adopted any measures, the proposed measures shall be adopted by the Commission.

Article 6

This Decision shall apply for an initial duration up to 2 April 1987.

Article 7

This Decision is addressed to the Member States.

Done at Brussels, 4 February 1986.

For the Council

The President

W.F. van EEKELEN

COMMISSION

COMMISSION DECISION

of 27 January 1986

approving aids from the Federal Republic of Germany to the coalmining industry during 1985

(Only the German text is authentic)

(86/24/ECSC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to Commission Decision 528/76/ECSC of 25 February 1976 regarding the Community system of measures taken by the Member States to assist the coalmining industry⁽¹⁾,

Having consulted the Council,

I

Whereas the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany has informed the Commission, pursuant to Article 2 of the Decision, of the financial measures which it intends to implement directly or indirectly for the benefits of the coal industry in 1985; whereas of these measures the following may be approved pursuant to that Decision :

	(million DM)
— investment aids to individual projects under an investment programme	145,5
— aid for development and innovation (testing and trial of new equipment) in the coalmining industry	60,0
— premiums to shift-paid workers and piece workers for each shift worked underground	190,0
— aid for the entertainment of long-term security stocks	135,0 ;

Whereas these aids meet the criteria laid down in the Decision for the admissibility of such State assistance ;

Whereas the investment of DM 145 500 000 is proposed for investment projects for mines, coking plants, briquette works and pit-head power stations ; whereas the percentage of all investment covered by investment aid is just under 25 % ;

Whereas in relation to the Community's new policy for coal, this 1985 investment aid is to be regarded as beneficial since it will promote the long-term stabilization of production in the German coalfields. The aid complies with the provisions of Article 7 (1) of the Decision ;

Whereas, pursuant to Article 7 (5) of the Decision, the Federal Government must notify the Commission at least once a year, in respect of each project in the programme which it has decided to carry out, of the aims pursued, the sums invested and the amounts of the aid ;

Whereas the sum of DM 60 000 000 to promote innovation is intended to ensure that research results are applied to production as quickly as possible ; whereas the aid is lower than the costs borne by the undertakings and is granted in respect of individual projects which, when completed, are likely to prove their economic worth to coalmining in the medium term ; whereas the purpose and amount of this aid show that it is compatible with the third subparagraph of Article 7 (3) of the Decision ;

Whereas the aid of DM 190 000 000 towards the payment of the coal-winning premium helps the coal industry to secure a stable, skilled workforce, which is imperative if its productivity is to increase ; whereas the undertakings moreover incur expenditure on the necessary recruitment, training, retraining and retention of workers which is several times the amount of aid in the form of this premium ;

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 63, 11. 3. 1976, p. 1.

Whereas the purpose and amount of the coal-winning premium show that this measure is compatible with Article 8 of the Decision;

Whereas the aid of DM 135 000 000 for the entertainment of long-term security stocks is a measure by the Federal Government to increase the long-term security of energy supply; whereas to this end, the emergency association of German mining industries has purchased 10 million tonnes of coal and coke; whereas the aid proposed by the Federal Government for this purpose covers only part of the actual current cost of maintaining these stocks;

Whereas the purpose and amount of the aid shows that this measure is compatible with Article 10 of the Decision;

II

Whereas, in accordance with Article 3 (2) of the Decision, an examination of the compatibility of the abovementioned aids with the proper functioning of the common market must also extend to all other financial measures to support current production in 1985;

Whereas on this basis the total cost of the proposed measure amounts to 836 500 000 ECU i. e. 9,80 ECU per tonne produced; whereas, compared with other Member States, current production in the Federal Republic of Germany is substantially less subsidized (per tonne) than in France and Belgium;

Whereas the following remarks can be made on the compatibility of these aids for current production with the proper functioning of the common market:

- owing to the stocks of coal and coke on hand there were no supply difficulties in 1985,
- the level of exports of German coal to the other Member States fell in 1985 compared with 1984,
- price alignment agreements were hardly entered into in 1985,
- industrial consumers of coal did not receive indirect aid in 1985 as a result of the prices of German coking coal and steam coal,
- the closure of one marginal pit in the Ruhr coalfield resulted in rationalization and concentration of production on pits where productivity is highest;

Whereas it may therefore be concluded that the German aids for current production in the coal industry in 1985

are compatible with the proper functioning of the common market;

Whereas this applies even when account is taken of aids to the coal mines under Decision 73/287/ECSC⁽¹⁾;

III

Whereas, pursuant to Article 14 (1) of the Decision, the Commission must ensure that the aids authorized are used for the purposes set out in Articles 7 to 12 thereof; whereas the Commission must be informed, in particular, of the amount of the aids and of the manner in which they were apportioned,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The Federal Republic of Germany is hereby authorized in respect of the 1985 calendar year to grant the following aids to the coalmining industry:

1. Grant of investment aid not exceeding DM 145 500 000 to undertakings in the coal industry in order to increase investment;
2. Promotion of development and innovation not exceeding DM 60 000 000;
3. Payment of premiums to shift-paid workers and piece workers for each shift worked underground, not exceeding DM 190 000 000;
4. Aid not exceeding DM 135 000 000 for the entertainment of long-term security stocks.

Article 2

The Government of the Federal Republic of Germany shall notify the Commission by 31 March 1986 of details of the aids granted pursuant to this Decision, and in particular of the amounts paid and the manner in which they are apportioned.

Article 3

This Decision is addressed to the Federal Republic of Germany.

Done at Brussels, 27 January 1986.

For the Commission

Nicolas MOSAR

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 259, 15. 9. 1973, p. 36.

COMMISSION DECISION

of 27 January 1986

approving aids from the French Republic to the coalmining industry during 1985

(Only the French text is authentic)

(86/25/ECSC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to Commission Decision 528/76/ECSC of 25 February 1976 regarding the Community system of measures taken by the Member States to assist the coalmining industry⁽¹⁾,

Having consulted the Council,

I

Whereas the Government of the French Republic has informed the Commission, pursuant to Article 2 of the above Decision, of the financial measures which it intends to implement directly or indirectly for the benefit of the coal industry during 1985; whereas of these measures the following may be approved pursuant to that Decision;

Whereas the Government of the French Republic intends to grant to Charbonnages de France for 1985 aid amounting to FF 3 283 900 000 to permit the economic restructuring of the coalfields to proceed in an appropriate manner;

Whereas the Government of the French Republic also proposes to grant to the central administration of Charbonnages de France in 1985 aid amounting to FF 467 600 000, to cover the charges incurred in borrowing, and transferred from the pits to the central administration of Charbonnages de France under the French Government's financial improvement scheme. Whereas this aid is paid not to the coalfields but only to the central administration of Charbonnages de France;

Whereas the abovementioned aids meet the criteria laid down in the Decision for the admissibility of such State assistance;

Whereas the aid of FF 3 751 500 000 proposed by the Government of the French Republic for 1985 to cover losses (of which FF 3 283 900 000, is to cover the coalfields' losses on mining and FF 467 600 000 to cover the losses sustained by the central administration of Charbon-

nages de France) will not be higher than the likely operating losses of Charbonnages de France;

Whereas the following points are relevant in connection with aid to the individual coalfields:

1. In 1985, aid to the Nord/Pas-de-Calais and Centre-Midi coalfields will be calculated in such a way that, as a result of the closure of further pits, there will be a reduction in production, which will mean that 428 fewer persons will be employed in the coal industry. The aids will prevent severe economic and social disruption in areas where there are not yet adequate opportunities for re-employment. The aids to these coalfields therefore comply with the provisions of the first subparagraph of Article 12 (1) and Article 12 (2) of the Decision.
2. The output planning of the Charbonnages de France in the Lorraine coalfields aims at long-term stabilization, since the coking coal produced in this coalfield is important for supplying the steel industry. The aid granted for this purpose complies with the second subparagraph of Article 12 (1) and Article 12 (3) of the Decision.

II

Whereas, under Article 3 (2) of the Decision, an examination of the compatibility of the proposed aids with the proper functioning of the common market must also extend to all other financial measures to support current production in 1985;

Whereas the sum of all these aids to support current production by the French coal industry is 567 800 000 ECU, or 36,87 ECU per tonne, for 1985; whereas this is higher than corresponding German and Belgian aids;

Whereas the following points must be made about the compatibility of the proposed aid with the proper functioning of the common market:

- there were no supply difficulties on the French coal market in 1985,
- French coal exports to the other Community countries fell in 1985 compared with 1984,
- hardly any price alignment agreements were entered into for French coal in 1985;

(¹) OJ No L 63, 11. 3. 1976, p. 1.

- industrial consumers of coal did not directly receive aid in 1985 through the prices of French coking coal and steam coal;
- the closure of one marginal pit in each of the Nord/Pas-de-Calais and Lorraine coalfields and two in the Centre-Midi resulted in rationalization and concentration of production on pits where productivity is highest;

Whereas it may accordingly be concluded that the aids proposed in 1985 for current production by the French coal industry are compatible with the proper functioning of the common market;

Whereas this applies even when account is taken of aids to coal mines under Decision 73/287/ECSC⁽¹⁾;

III

Whereas, pursuant to Article 14 (1) of the Decision, the Commission must satisfy itself that the approved aids are used exclusively for the purposes set out in Articles 7 to 12 of that Decision; whereas consequently the Commission is to be notified in particular of the amount of the aid and the manner in which it is apportioned,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The French Republic is hereby authorized to grant to the coal industry the following aids for 1985:

- (a) an amount not exceeding FF 3 283 900 000 to cover losses on mining;
- (b) an amount not exceeding FF 467 600 000 to cover the financial losses sustained by the central administration of Charbonnages de France.

Article 2

The Government of the French Republic shall notify the Commission by 31 March 1986 of details of the aids granted pursuant to this Decision and in particular of the amounts paid and the manner in which they are apportioned.

Article 3

This Decision is addressed to the French Republic.

Done at Brussels, 27 January 1986.

For the Commission

Nicolas MOSAR

Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No 259, 15. 9. 1973, p. 36.

COMMISSION DECISION

of 27 January 1986

approving aids from the Kingdom of Belgium to the coalmining industry during 1985

(Only the French and Dutch texts are authentic)

(86/26/ECSC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to Commission Decision 528/76/ECSC of 25 February 1976 regarding the Community system of measures taken by the Member States to assist the coalmining industry⁽¹⁾,

Having consulted the Council,

I

Whereas the Government of the Kingdom of Belgium has informed the Commission, pursuant to Article 2 of the above Decision, of the financial measures which it intends to take during 1985 in order to give direct or indirect support to the coalmining industry; whereas, of these measures, the following aids qualify for approval pursuant to that Decision;

	(million Bfrs)
— investment aid	588,0
— recruitment of skilled workers	14,6
— aid to cover losses	4 796,3;

Whereas these aids meet the criteria laid down in the Decision for the admissibility of such State assistance;

Whereas of the investment aid all the Bfrs 588 000 000 will go to the Campine coalfield, so that the coalfield can maintain the production of coking coal, which is important for the Belgian steel industry;

Whereas the Belgian investment aid is therefore compatible with the provisions of Article 7 (2) of the Decision;

Whereas the aid (Bfrs 14 600 000) for recruiting and training skilled workers has proved necessary in order to attract suitably qualified labour into Belgian coalmining capable of operating modern plant and machinery properly;

The aid therefore complies with Article 8 of the Decision;

Whereas the aid totalling 4 796 300 000 Bfrs paid to the Campine coalfield will almost make up the difference

between costs and returns; whereas this almost complete covering of the difference between costs and returns is necessary because the coalfield is intended to supply the Belgian steel industry with coking coal and must therefore maintain its output;

Whereas the purpose and amount of aid granted to cover losses in respect of the Campine coalfield therefore comply with the second subparagraph of Article 12 (1) and Article 12 (3) of the Decision;

II

Whereas, pursuant to Article 3 (2) of the Decision, all other measures to assist current production in 1985 must be taken into consideration for an examination of the compatibility of the proposed aids with the proper functioning of the common market;

Whereas, on this basis of assessment, the total amount of aid proposed is 231 200 000 ECU, i.e. 35,03 ECU per tonne; whereas this figure compared with 1984 (34,03 ECU/t) shows that there is an augmentation of nearly 2,9 %;

Whereas the following observations can be made on the compatibility of the proposed current production aids with the proper functioning of the common market;

- there were no supply difficulties in 1985,
- industrial consumers of coal did not receive aid in 1985 as a result of the prices of Belgian coking coal and steam coal;

Whereas it may be concluded that the aid granted to the Belgian coalmining industry in 1985 is compatible with the proper functioning of the common market;

Whereas this applies even when account is taken of aids to the coal mines under Decision 73/287/ECSC;

III

Whereas, pursuant to Article 14 (1) of the Decision, the Commission must ensure that any aid it approves is used exclusively for the purposes set out in Articles 7 to 12 thereof; whereas the Commission must therefore be informed in particular of the amounts of the payments and the manner in which they are apportioned;

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 63, 11. 3. 1976, p. 1.

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION :

Article 1

The Kingdom of Belgium is hereby authorized in respect of the 1985 calendar year to grant aid totalling Bfrs 5 398 900 000 to the Belgian coalmining industry.

The amount of Bfrs 5 398 900 000 provided in respect of the calendar year 1985 is divided as follows :

1. Grant of investment aid of Bfrs 588 000 000 ;
2. Grant of aid for recruiting and training skilled workers .
not exceeding Bfrs 14 600 000 ;
3. Grant of aid to cover losses of Bfrs 4 796 300 000.

Article 2

The Government of the Kingdom of Belgium shall notify the Commission by 31 March 1986 of details of the aids

granted pursuant to this Decision, and in particular of the amount of the payments made and the manner in which they are apportioned.

Article 3

This Decision is addressed to the Kingdom of Belgium.

Done at Brussels, 27 January 1986.

For the Commission

Nicolas MOSAR

Member of the Commission

COMMISSION DECISION

of 27 January 1986

approving additional aids from the United Kingdom to the coalmining industry during the 1984/85 financial year

(Only the English text is authentic)

(86/27/ECSC)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to Commission Decision 528/76/ECSC of 25 February 1976 regarding the Community system of measures taken by the Member States to assist the coalmining industry⁽¹⁾,

Having consulted the Council,

I

Whereas on 24 July 1985 the Commission adopted Decision 85/419/ECSC⁽²⁾; whereas that Decision authorized the aids which the United Kingdom Government proposed to grant to the coal industry during the 1984/85 financial year provided they had been dealt with and examined by the Commission in the 'Memorandum on the financial aids granted by the Member States to the coal industry in 1984 and on the additional financial aids granted by the Member States to the coal industry in 1983';

Whereas, as was stated in that memorandum, the United Kingdom Government proposed to grant £ 513 200 000 of aid under Decision No 528/76/ECSC to the British coalmining industry;

Whereas, in addition, the United Kingdom Government in written applications dated 21 June and 31 July 1985 respectively, requested permission to alter or to increase the aids originally proposed as follows:

(in millions of £)

	Original amount	Additional amount	New amount
Cover for coalfields' operating losses	513,2	1 711,8	2 225,0
Per tonne of production in £	10,37		44,95

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 63, 11. 3. 1976, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 230, 29. 8. 1985, p. 52.

Whereas the overall amount of aid to current production in the British coalmining industry during the 1984/85 financial year is thus increased by £ 1 711 800 000. It proved necessary to increase the UK aid to cover pit operating losses since these were sharply increased in the 1984/85 coal marketing year owing to the unforeseeable strike. According to the information available to the Commission on the actual position of costs and returns in 1984, the loss per tonne rose considerably more than had been estimated. The increase in aid does not completely cover the pit operating losses for 1984; this measure is thus compatible with the provisions of Article 12 (1) (1) of the Decision;

II

Whereas the following remarks must be made in respect of the compatibility of the total amount of British aids to support current production (3 783 100 000 ECU or 76,43 ECU/t) with the proper functioning of the common market:

- there has been no decline in trade in coal between the United Kingdom and the other Community countries,
- industrial users of coking coal and steam coal did not receive aids as a result of artificially low prices of British coal;

Whereas it may therefore be concluded that the additional aids proposed during the 1984/85 financial year for current production in the British coalmining industry are compatible with the proper functioning of the common market;

III

Whereas, pursuant to Article 14 (1) of the Decision, the Commission must ascertain that aids authorized are used exclusively for the purposes set out in Articles 7 to 12 thereof; whereas the Commission must be informed in particular of the amount of these aids and the manner in which they are apportioned,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The United Kingdom is hereby authorized in respect of the 1984/85 financial year to grant an additional aid to cover losses on coalmining industry not exceeding £ 1 711 800 000.

Article 2

The United Kingdom shall notify the Commission by 31 March 1986 of details of the aids granted pursuant to this

Decision, and in particular of the amounts paid and the manner in which they are apportioned.

Article 3

This Decision is addressed to the United Kingdom.

Done at Brussels, 27 January 1986.

For the Commission

Nicolas MOSAR

Member of the Commission

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